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### RC2 Recalls Knights of the Sword Toys Due to Violation of Lead Paint Standard

WASHINGTON, D.C. - The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, in cooperation with the firm named below, today announced a voluntary recall of the following consumer product. Consumers should stop using recalled products immediately unless otherwise instructed.

**Name of Product:** Britain's "Knights of the Sword" Series Toys

**Units:** About 800

**Importer/Distributor:** RC2 Corp., of Oak Brook, Ill.

**Hazard:** Surface paints on the toy knights contain excessive levels of lead, violating the federal lead paint standard.

**Incidents/Injuries:** None reported.

**Description:** The three recalled silver knight toys are mounted on red horses sold individually in see-through blister cards. "Britains" and "Knights of the Sword" are printed on the top of the card in the packaging. The recalled toys include a mounted silver knight on a red horse with an axe; a mounted silver knight on a red horse with two hands on a raised weapon; and a mounted silver knight on a red horse with a lance.

**Sold at:** Specialty toy stores nationwide from April 2004 through March 2006 for about \$8.

**Manufactured in:** China

**Remedy:** Consumers should take these recalled toys away from young children immediately and contact RC2 to receive a full refund.

**Consumer Contact:** For additional information, contact RC2 toll-free at (866) 725-4407 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. ET Monday through Friday or visit the firm's Web site at <http://recalls.rc2.com>







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30 percent decline in the rate of deaths and injuries associated with consumer products over the past 30 years.

To report a dangerous product or a product-related injury, call CPSC's hotline at (800) 638-2772 or CPSC's teletypewriter at (800) 638-8270, or visit CPSC's web site at [www.cpsc.gov/talk.html](http://www.cpsc.gov/talk.html). To join a CPSC email subscription list, please go to [www.cpsc.gov/cpsclist.aspx](http://www.cpsc.gov/cpsclist.aspx). Consumers can obtain this release and recall information at CPSC's Web site at [www.cpsc.gov](http://www.cpsc.gov).